

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 4th February 1925.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the below noted teak logs were found unclaimed near saw pit in front of Suthakote village, Kumsi Sub-Taluk. The logs have been kept in the custody of Patel Totappa of Suthakote village.

The claimants if any are required to present and establish their claims before the District Forest Officer, Shimoga, within one month from this date, failing which, the said pieces will under Sections 40 and 42 of the Mysore Forest Regulations be confiscated to Government.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PIECES.

No.	Kind	Length		Girth		Quantity	Remarks
		Fe.	In.	Fe.	In.		
1	Teak round	9	0	3	0	5	Green and undressed.
2	Do	8	0	2	9	3	
3	Do	8	0	2	6	3	
4	Do	8	0	2	9	3	
5	Do	8	6	3	5	6	
6	Do	7	0	2	9	3	Dry and is sawn at the end to 4'-4".
7	Do	7	6	3	0	4	
8	Do	8	8	4	1	8	
9	Total....	..	..	..	..	38 c. ft.	

L. P. MASCARENHAS,
District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Notification dated 1st February 1925.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting the following kinds and quantities of fallen dry timber and logs and tops of felled trees of the State Forests of the Bhadravati District Forest Officer or such other Gazetted Officer deputed by him for the purpose on the dates and at the places noted below:—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Kind of timber	Quantity	Place and date of sale	Remarks
			C.ft.		
Narasimhachajapura	Arambudi State Forest	Teak trees	1,000	Trikere on 25th February 1925.	Quantities noted are approximate.
		" poles	500		
		Honne trees	300		
		Mathi	1,000		
		Hundi	500		
		Yethaga	500		
		Nandi	200		
		Total	4,000		
Ganzege	Thegurendla	Teak	500		
		Honne	700		
		Mathi	1,500		
		Other kinds	2,000		

Conditions.

1. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

2. The highest bidder shall deposit Rs. 100 as security for each forest immediately after the sale is concluded. Half the value of the estimated quantity should be remitted to the treasury within a week from the date of confirmation of the order is received by him and the balance on or before the 1st May 1925. If he fails to do so the right of collecting the produce will be resold at his risk in which case he shall not participate in any profit arising therefrom but on the other hand shall be liable for any loss that may thereby be caused to Government which will be recovered as an arrear of revenue demand.

3. The successful purchaser will, within a week of the receipt of the intimation of the acceptance of his bid execute an agreement accepting the terms specified below in default of which the order of acceptance will be cancelled and the deposit forfeited to Government:—

- (a) That he binds himself to collect and remove the timber he has purchased in not less than the following proportions:—
One-half by the 15th March 1925.
Balance by the 15th May 1925.
- (b) That he shall dress the logs on the spot. He will not be bound, however, to remove such logs, as the District Forest Officer, may declare to be unsound and unfit for sale without recourse to sawing.
- (c) That only saws will be used for cutting up the logs into the required lengths and that while he is permitted to remove whitewood, knots and flutes, he shall cause no necessary waste in dressing the logs.
- (d) That he binds himself to pay for and remove all marketable portions of a tree either in logs, pieces or poles.
- (e) That the timber prepared out of each tree shall be measured and stamped by the Range Officer, or such other officer, as the District Forest Officer, may authorise at the stump.
- (f) That he shall pay for all the timber measured as per clause (e) before removal from the forest or the depot and on presentation of the treasury receipt for the value of the timber he intends to remove.
- (g) That if any green tree is felled, he will pay a fine of Rs. 50 for each tree he felled and he shall not be eligible for any timber obtained from such forests.
- (h) That the timber whether paid for or not remaining in the forest or the depot assigned for collection after the 30th June 1925 shall lapse absolutely to Government.
- (i) That he agrees to abide by the rules of the Department as regards kindling of fires and holds himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees and workmen.
- (j) That he agrees to the cancellation of the contract and the forfeiture of his deposit for breach of any of the terms of his contract.
- (k) That he agrees to maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer, showing the serial number and kind of timber collected and the outturn thereof which will be open to the examination of all the Forest Officers of and above the rank of Range Officers.
- (l) That the purchaser shall accept the minimum quantities and pay for them before 15th June 1925. The Department will not make any allowance for any shortage, but any excess quantity will be allowed to be removed at rates accepted at the auctioned time.

Notification dated 1st February 1925.

Sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bhadravati Division, Bhadravati, up to 2 p.m. on 23rd February 1925, for the right of felling and removing of standing trees marked by the Department in the coupe of the Hiple Working Circles, Muthodi Forest:—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Name of working Circle	No. and area of the coupe	No. and kind of trees marked for felling	Remarks
			A. g.		
Muthodi	Muthodi	Hiple	225 0	Honne .. 8 Beets .. 28 Mathi .. 92 Nandi .. 9 Other kinds .. 111 Total .. 248	The coupe is 2 miles from Hebbe-Muthodi road.

2. The tenders should be superscribed as "Tender for the right of felling and removing of standing trees." The rate should be per c.ft. of each kind written distinctly in words as well as in figures.

3. Each tender should be accompanied with the earnest deposit of Rs. 50 in currency notes which will be returned in the case of unsuccessful tenderers.

4. The acceptance of tender rests in the Conservator of Forests or the District Forest Officer as the case may be who reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any tender without assigning any reason therefor.

Conditions.

5. The successful tenderer will *at once* deposit Rs. 100 as security for the due performance of the contract.

6. The successful tenderer will, within a week of the receipt of intimation of the acceptance of the tender, execute an agreement accepting the terms specified below, in default, the order of acceptance will be cancelled and the deposit forfeited to Government.

(a) That he binds himself to fell the timber he has purchased in not less than the following proportions:—

One-half by the end of March 1925.

Balance by the end of May 1925.

(b) That trees shall be felled regularly from one side. Picking and choosing will not be allowed. In felling trees, care should be taken to fell so as not to cause damage to the surrounding growth.

(c) That he binds himself to pay for and remove all marketable portion of a tree either in poles or pieces.

N.B. All pieces capable of yielding cart-wheel materials are included under the head "Marketable portion."

(d) That the timber prepared out of each tree shall be measured and stamped by the Range Officer or such other officer as the District Forest Officer may authorise; until the timber is so marked, it shall not be removed.

(e) That he shall pay for all the timber measured as per clause (d) before removal from the forest or the depot fixed by the District Forest Officer.

(f) That all removals shall be effected under passports issued by the Forest Officer in charge of the forest and on presentation of the treasury receipt for the value of the timber he intends to remove.

(g) That the timber paid for, but not removed by the 15th July 1925 shall lapse to Government.

(h) That he agrees that such timber as may not be paid for before the 15th June 1925, shall lapse to Government.

(i) That he agrees to abide by the rules of the Forest Department, as regards kindling of fires and hold himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees and workmen.

(j) That he agrees to the cancellation of the contract and the forfeiture of his deposit for breach of any of the terms of the contract.

(k) That he agrees to coppice all teak trees other than those marked as standards.

C. ABDUL JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR FOREST DIVISION.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 3rd February 1925.

The undermentioned quantities of timber will be sold by public auction under the following conditions at the following Depots by the District Forest Officer, on the dates noted against each Depot:—

Name of Depot	Teak logs	Teak poles	Nandi	Matti	Honno	Yettaga	Hunal	Hebbalan	Kanja	Other kinds	Date of sale	Remarks
	C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.	C. ft.		
Shiralkoppa ..	1,200	200	1,000	500	500	500	350	250	200	500	16th March 1925 Monday	More or less
Shikarapur ..	200	1,800	300	200	400	250	250	..	..	100	17th March 1925 Tuesday	
Sowlanga ..	..	2,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18th March 1925 Wednesday	
Chordi ..	1,500	2,000	500	100	100	5,800	100	..	..	200	20th March 1925 Friday	
Anantapur ..	500	..	400	100	300	500	100	..	..	100	21st March 1925 Saturday	
Sagar ..	150	150	2,000	100	500	50	100	2,000	1,000	100	23rd March 1925 Monday	
Shakunavalli ..	3,500	500	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28th March 1925 Saturday	
Anavatti ..	200	900	300	100	150	..	..	..	..	100	30th March 1925 Monday	

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the Department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

(a) In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities, full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted.